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QUOTE(S) OF THE DAY

"Nonsense wakes up the brain cells. And it helps develop a sense of humor, which is awfully important in this day and age. Humor has a tremendous place in this sordid world. It's more than just a matter of laughing. If you can see things out of whack, then you can see how things can be in whack." – Dr. Seuss

"Simplicity is the final achievement. After one has played a vast quantity of notes and more notes, it is simplicity that emerges as the crowning reward of art." – Frédéric Chopin

"When one paints an ideal, one does not need to limit one's imagination." – Ellen Key

"We should not be simply fighting evil in the name of good, but struggling against the certainties of people who claim always to know where good and evil are to be found." – Tzvetan Todorov

"In times like these, it's helpful to remember that there have always been times like these." – Paul Harvey

"What does it mean to pre-board? Do you get on before you get on?" – George Carlin

"Every leap year I like to jump. It's a good way to get my daily exercise in every four years." – Jarod Kint

VIDEO(S) OF THE DAY

[Topnotch Teacher: Using theater as a platform for good](#)
[Channel3000.com](#)

[Milly Zantlow | Recycling Revolutionary](#)
Wisconsin Biographies | PBS Wisconsin Education

[Searchlight Serenade the animation](#)
Amy Uyeki

[Covering Some Of Folk Music's Most Famous Women Songwriters](#)
Simply Folk | Wisconsin Public Radio

Wisconsin artists and arts organizations, do you have video that you'd like us to consider sharing as the Wisconsin Arts News Video of the Day? Send the link to artsboard@wisconsin.gov!

TOP WISCONSIN NEWS

FROM THE WISCONSIN ARTS BOARD

NEW [NCN Articles of Interest | February 28, 2020](#)
National Creativity Network

[Blue Star Museums Registration](#)
National Endowment for the Arts
Register Now | Runs from May 16 – September 7

[2020 Congressional Art Competition](#)
United States House of Representatives

Please directly contact your Congressperson with any questions you may have.

[Office of Congressman Bryan Steil](#)
1st Congressional District
Deadline: April 8

[Office of Congressman Mark Pocan](#)
2nd Congressional District
Deadline: March 30

[Office of Congressman Ron Kind](#)
3rd Congressional District
Deadline: March 6

[Office of Congressman Gwen Moore](#)
4th Congressional District
Deadline: April 15

Office of Congressman Glenn Grothman
6th Congressional District
Deadline: April 15

Office of Mike Gallagher
8th Congressional District
Deadline: March 13

Job Opening | Arts & Culture Director
Harry & Rose Samson Family Jewish Community Center | Indeed.com
Deadline: Until Filled

Community Arts Fellow
John Michael Kohler Arts Center
Until Filled

Employment Opportunities for the 2020 Season
Peninsula Players
Deadline: Until Filled

Job Opportunity | Member Services Associate
Museum of Wisconsin Art
Until Filled

Job Opportunity | Library Director, Gillett Public Library
Gillett News
Deadline: March 2

Job Opening | Arts Administration Assistant
Jobs At UW | UW-Madison
Deadline: March 3

NEW Job Opportunity | Hospitality Manager
Shake Rag Alley Center for the Arts
March 15

NEW 2020 Wisconsin Poetry Out Loud Competition
Wisconsin Arts Board
March 7

Summer Teaching Internships | Dance and Theater
Land O' Lakes Arts
Deadline: March 15

2021 GRAMMY Music Educator Award
Grammy in the Schools
Deadline: March 15

2020 Wisconsin Governor's Conference on Tourism (WIGCOT)

Wisconsin Department of Tourism

March 15 – 17 | Madison

Also

Cultural Tourism Featured at WIGCOT 2020 on Tuesday, March 17

Wisconsin Arts Board

March 17

The day begins with a legislative breakfast, showcases a cultural tourism keynote address, recognizes Governor's Tourism Awards nominees at lunch, features a National Endowment for the Arts Grants Workshop, hosts a Quarterly Meeting of the Wisconsin Arts Board, and concludes with the awarding of the 2020 Governor's Award for Arts, Culture, and Heritage at the Governor's Dinner and Awards Celebration.

Quarterly Meeting

Wisconsin Arts Board

March 17 | Madison

2020 NAEA National Convention

National Art Education Association

March 26 - 28 | Minneapolis, Minnesota

Arts Education Policy Briefing

Americans for the Arts

March 29 | Washington, DC

Job Opportunity | Program Advisor/WUD Music Advisor

Jobs At UW

Deadline: March 30

Nancy Hanks Lecture | Vijay Gupta

Americans for the Arts

March 30

Also

Violinist Vijay Gupta brings music, healing to LA's Skid Row

PBS NewsHour

2020 National Arts Action Summit

Americans for the Arts

March 30 – 31 | Washington, DC

AIGA Design Conference

AIGA

March 30 – April 1 | Pittsburgh, PA

Joint Effort Marketing (JEM) Grant Program

Wisconsin Department of Tourism

Deadlines: April 1, August 1

2020 NEA Jazz Masters to be Honored at Events April 1-3 at SFJAZZ in San Francisco

National Endowment for the Arts

April 2 | Concert Live Streamed

Creative Wisconsin Day

The Wheeler Report, Arts Wisconsin

April 16

2020 Wisconsin Rural Summit

Wisconsin Rural Partners

April 22 – 23

2020 | Towards One Wisconsin

UW Center for Civic Engagement

April 28 – 29 | Green Bay

Arts Midwest Touring Fund

Arts Midwest

Deadline: April 29

Annual and Quarterly Meetings

Wisconsin Arts Board

May 1 - 2 | Central Wisconsin

The Convention, Sports & Entertainment Facilities Conference

csefconference.com

May 7 - 8 | San Diego, CA

Dance/USA 2020 Annual Conference

Dance/USA

June 17 - 20 | Denver, Colorado

Annual Convention

Americans for the Arts

June 26 – 28 | Washington DC

2020 Conference

Association of Midwest Museums & Wisconsin Federation of Museums

July 22 – 25 | Milwaukee

2020 AEP Annual Convening

Arts Education Partnership

September 9 – 10 | San Diego, CA

Arts Midwest Conference

Arts Midwest

September 9 – 12 | Omaha, NE

Quarterly Meeting

Wisconsin Arts Board

September 25 | Madison

National Arts Marketing Project Conference

Americans for the Arts

November 13 – 16 | Chicago, IL

Quarterly Meeting

Wisconsin Arts Board

December 4 | Milwaukee

The print version of the 2020 Arts & Crafts Fair Directory is available and may be ordered [here](#).

TravelWisconsin.com

If you'd prefer to view the Directory online, click [here](#).

IN THE NEWS

Visual Arts/Museums

Artist says she was 'a walking dead woman' until she discovered art
WISN

Milwaukee Strong logo designer has heavy ties to Wisconsin brewing
TMJ4

The Anderson Family returns to celebrate the reopened Arts Center
Mt. Pleasant / Sturtevant, WI Patch

Racine and Vicinity Show 2020 - Call for Artists

Racine Art Museum

Deadline: April 17 – 18

Ephraim gallery seeking art submissions from community for 13th mosaic project

Door County Advocate

Deadline: June 28

Milwaukee Art Museum offers kid-friendly fun

WISN

Waupun museum nearing relaunch to make better use of space
Beaver Dam Daily Citizen

Bringing life to 'The Day the Music Died': Local couple planning sculpture for 1959 performance at Marina Shores site
Kenosha News

What Artists Need to Know About US Taxes
Hyperallergic

NEW Lighthouse Works Invites Applications for Fellowship Program
RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: March 15

NEW Arts Retreat
Cultural Center | New York Mills, MN
Deadline: April 1

Arts and Creativity in Education

Community, school come together for Bristol Fine Arts Night
Kenosha News

Student musicians bring Beethoven's works to life at annual orchestra festival
Kenosha News

Local music teacher recognized
Wisconsin Rapids City Times

Through mock trial, La Crosse Logan students get taste of law and order — and pizza
La Crosse Tribune

NEW Ezra Jack Keats Foundation Invites Applications for Mini-Grants
RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: March 31

Know Your Madisonian: Bringing indigenous perspective to UW-Madison campus
Wisconsin State Journal

UW-Madison's Loeser, Pinney create artistic seating area for new library location
School of Education, UW-Madison News

Community Arts

Common Council OK'd convention center expansion. That could reverse as cost estimate rises to \$425 million.
Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

[Momentum building in downtown West Bend](#)
GMToday.com

[Wisconsin Humane Society's funny portraits of people's pets draws national attention](#)
Green Bay Press Gazette

Folk Arts/Folklife

[Cultures of Dane County celebrated at International Festival](#)
WKOW

Literary/Libraries

[Michael Perry: Adding up the ledger at home](#)
Roughneck Grace | Wisconsin State Journal

[Wisconsin's comic book heroes, villains: Here are 15 characters to check out between superhero movies](#)
Oshkosh Northwestern

NEW [J.M. Kaplan Accepting Nominations of Illustrated Nonfiction Books for Alice Award](#)
RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: April 1

Media Arts

[Once Upon A Time ... In Waunakee: Actor Mike Moh On His Dream Role](#)
BETA | Wisconsin Public Radio

[20Q: Catching up with crossdisciplinary producer Kristin Peterson Kaszubowski](#)
GazetteXtra

[New Michigan film incentives could bring back Hollywood, jobs and cash](#)
Detroit Free Press

[How Films and Philanthropy Can Bring About Social Change](#)
The Chronicle of Philanthropy

Performing Arts

Music

[Local choir raises money for Feed My People Food Bank](#)
WEAU

["We're all best friends": Musical and personal chemistry sparks success for Uncommon Denominator](#)
The Chippewa Herald

NEW Amphion Foundation Accepting Applications From Performing Musical Ensembles

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: April 1

'This Land Is Your Land' Is Still Private Property, Court Rules

The New York Times

Presenting

Fox Cities P.A.C. welcomes 400,000th student at ArtsPower's production

WeAreGreenBay.com

Theater/Opera

Waukesha Civic Theatre buys adjacent clock shop

GMToday.com

Out on the Town: 2020 Snowdance 10 Minute Comedy Festival

Racine Journal Times

Warren Gerds/Critic at Large: Some play theaters are entertaining just in themselves

WeAreGreenBay.com

Ampersand Theater Company opens in new permanent theater space in Milwaukee

WISN

Other

Emerging Trends in Fundraising: The Rise of Virtual and DIY Events

NonProfit Pro

WHEN YOU GO

Have you added your event to [Portal Wisconsin](#)?

Visual Arts/Museums

Celebrating 150 years of the Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts & Letters

Madison.com

Through April 5

Explore Wisconsin art at Appleton's Trout Museum of Art

Fox11Online

Through April 5

The Gallery to display recycled collages of Lydia Hicks
La Crosse Tribune
Through May

Event City 5: Paine hosts 'Rooms of Blooms,' Craft Beer Week culminates with EAA's Hops & Props
Oshkosh Northwestern
March 5 – 8; 12 – 15

Get Lucky Art Crawl #110
Waukesha, WI Patch
March 7

Arts and Creativity in Education

'We Are The Drum' Community Theater Showing Through March 8
Milwaukee, WI Patch
Through March 8

Annual student art show opens in Memorial Union, lighting up second-floor gallery space
The Capital Times
Through April 3

UW-La Crosse Creative Imperatives Festival to celebrate women through the arts
La Crosse Tribune
March 2 – 3

Westby High School to host district Solo & Ensemble festivals
Westby Times
March 10, 16, 28

Community Arts

Rise Up hosts community paint day for addiction recovery mural
WSAW
March 7

Literary/Libraries

'Eco-detective' writer Donna Leon to visit Madison
Wisconsin State Journal
March 4

2020 Wisconsin Poetry Out Loud Competition
Wisconsin Arts Board
March 7

Viroqua library to host Native American presentation

Vernon County Broadcaster

March 13

Community: To infinity and BEEyond -- A space-themed Bee

Kenosha News

March 27

Media Arts

Q&A: Lina Soblyté, Rabbett Before Horses

PBS Wisconsin

March 3

Green Bay Film Festival wrap-up – March 6 & 7 at Webb Theatre in De Pere

WeAreGreenBay.com

March 6 – 7

Film fest visits Eau Claire with the fantastic and the frightening

Eau Claire Leader-Telegram

March 6 – 8

Performing Arts

Music

Classical music: Acclaimed native son Kenneth Woods returns this weekend to conduct the Madison Symphony Orchestra. He talks to The Ear about what Madison meant to him and his international career

The Well-Tempered Ear

March 6 – 8

Reminder: UW-Green Bay, Manitowoc Campus Lakeshore Wind Ensemble Performance, March 7

Inside UW-Green Bay News

March 7

Classical soloists, Sounds of America to be featured at spring concerts

Spooner Advocate

March 7 – 8

Presenting

Dessa talks setlist and advice for aspiring musicians

The Racquet | UW-La Crosse

March 2

The Grand Oshkosh Welcomes All-Female Country Band FAREWELL ANGELINA
BroadwayWorld.com
March 20

Theater/Opera

Department of Theatre and Drama presenting 'Julius Caesar' through March 8
School of Education, UW-Madison News
Through March 8

La Crosse Community Theatre to hold auditions for 'Sweeney Todd'
La Crosse Tribune
March 2 – 3

New Company Takes on The World - And the future, as The Constructivist Theatre produces a play called 'The Nether'.
Urban Milwaukee
March 6 – 22

Door County's Peninsula Players announce theater season: Lots of comedy and an Irish drama
Door County Advocate
Season

Northern Sky Theater sets indoor, outdoor play season with new works, returning favorites
Door County Advocate
Season

OPPORTUNITIES

Call for Artists | By the People
Halcyon
Rolling acceptance; final due date is March 23

Arts Business Competition
Division of the Arts | UW–Madison
Deadline: March 6

The Real Broadway Treatment: A Look at the Musical Theater Songwriting Challenge
National Endowment for the Arts
Deadline: March 6

ART 64: Wauwatosa, NEWaukee seek artists painting tournament with \$20K grand prize
CBS 58 | WDJT
Deadline: March 9

Jim Henson Foundation Invites LOIs for Creation of New Live Puppet Theater
RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: March 9 (Letters of Intent)

Call For Artists for the 2020 Farm/Art DTour
The Wormfarm Institute
Deadline: March 10

Calling All Young Artists
Doodle for Google
Deadline: March 13

Residency at John Michael Kohler Art Center Synthesizes Creativity and Technical Craft
Hyperallergic
Deadline: March 13

Applications invited for Driftless Area Art Festival
Vernon County Broadcaster
Deadline: March 15

Roswell Artist-in-Residence Program Invites Applications From Visual Artists
RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: March 15

2021 GRAMMY Music Educator Award
Grammy in the Schools
Deadline: March 15

NEW Lighthouse Works Invites Applications for Fellowship Program
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Deadline: March 15

Call for Artists | Oklahoma Museum of Popular Culture
Oklahoma Arts Council
Deadline: March 16

Call and General Plan - VIII Edition
VIII Intercontinental Biennial of the Indigenous or Milenarian Art / World Prize to the most distinguished of Millenarian Art, Thinking & Culture
Deadline: March 21

Register now for a Making and Tinkering for Learning workshop!
PLACE: Professional Learning & Community Education
Racine | March 21
Dubuque, IA | April 18

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Call to Artists | Shipping Container Mural Project

City of Wauwatosa

Deadline: April 1

Native American Library Services Grants Open for Application

Institute of Museum and Library Services

Deadline: April 1

Joint Effort Marketing (JEM) Grant Program

Wisconsin Department of Tourism

Deadlines: April 1, August 1

Land O' Lakes Public Art Mural Opportunity

Town of Land O' Lakes, WI

Deadline: April 1

Westby City Council seeks designs for new city seal/logo

Westby Times

Deadline: April 3

Artists invited to apply to exhibit at Stillwater gallery

St. Croix 360

Deadline: April 6

Take Flight Art Contest

Horicon Bank

Deadline: April 22

International Studio & Curatorial Program Welcomes Applications for 2020 Artist Residencies

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: April 26

Arts Midwest Touring Fund

Arts Midwest

Deadline: April 29

Native American Library Services: Enhancement Grants

Institute of Museum and Library Services

Deadline: May 1

Digital Projects for the Public

National Endowment for the Humanities

Deadline: June 19

Digital Humanities Advancement Grants

National Endowment for the Humanities

Deadline: June 30

Radcliffe Institute Accepting Applications for Fellowship Program

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Various

Beyond Words: the Dollar General School Library Relief Fund

Awards & Grants | American Library Association

Deadline: None. Monthly Review

Pollock-Krasner Foundation Accepting Grant Applications From Artists in Need

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Open

Artfully Reimagined Invites Submissions for 'Reimagine It' Grants

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Open

Foundation for Contemporary Art Accepting Applications for Emergency Grants

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Open

Adolph & Esther Gottlieb Accepting Applications for Emergency Grants

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Open

Open Grant Solicitations

Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs | US Department of State

Various

Scholastic Art & Writing Awards Invites Entries From Creative Teens

RFP | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Various

NALAC Unveils New Funding For Latinx Artists
National Association of Latino Arts and Cultures
Various Deadlines

Craft Emergency Relief Fund Accepting Applications From Craftspeople in Need
Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: Open

Artfully Reimagined Invites Submissions for 'Reimagine It' Grants
RFPs | PND
Deadline: Open

Shubert Foundation Accepting Applications for Performing Arts Grants
RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: Various

Scholastic Art & Writing Awards Invites Entries From Creative Teens
Philanthropy News Digest
Deadlines: Various

Local Systems
The Kresge Foundation
No Deadline

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